



CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

February 27, 2008

The Honorable Michael Mukasey
Attorney General of the United States
U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20530

Dear General Mukasey:

I am writing to associate myself with the letter sent by Oversight and Government Reform Committee Chairman Henry Waxman and Ranking Member Tom Davis, a copy of which is enclosed. The letter calls on the Justice Department to investigate whether Roger Clemens committed perjury and made knowingly false statements during the Committee's investigation of the use of steroids and performance-enhancing drugs in professional baseball.

Given that the depositions and testimony of Andy Pettitte and Brian McNamee to the Committee directly contradicts the testimony of Mr. Clemens, it seems to me the Justice Department should investigate the questions these contradictions raise.

As the Chairman and Ranking Member stated, perjury and false statements before Congress are crimes that undermine the integrity of congressional inquiries. Evidence that a witness may have intentionally misled the Committee should be taken seriously. I would respectfully request the Justice Department initiate an investigation into these claims.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Christopher Shays".

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